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I wholeheartedly support HB 5414. The Driver Responsibility Fee has been a very heavy burden on the people who appear before the courts. Many of the people who are forced to pay the Driver Responsibility Fee are unable to do so because of a limited income. The Driver Responsibility Fee is unfair in many ways.

I ask that the legislature phase out the Driver Responsibility Fee as soon as possible.

Dated: May 12, 2014

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "BA Oakley".

Judge Brian A. Oakley  
District Court Judge,  
34th District Court, Romulus  
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